

## CXD-100-2W Citrix<sup>®</sup> XenDesktop<sup>™</sup> 4 Technology Overview

In this course, students will be introduced to Citrix XenDesktop 4 technology, and learn about the key product features, editions and strengths. Through the online learning interface, students will explore the challenges with traditional desktop management, the key aspects of FlexCast delivery, architectural diagrams, key components, communication flows and functionality, and the next steps to move to desktop virtualization, including licensing options

### Audience

This course is designed for IT professionals, architects, systems engineers, server administrators, engineers, and Citrix Partners.

### Preparatory Recommendations

Prior to taking this course, it is recommended that learners possess the following knowledge/experience:

- A basic knowledge of the purpose and goals of virtualization technology
- An understanding of computing architecture, including network and storage devices, device drivers and operating systems
- Basic experience installing and administering Windows Server 2003 or Windows Server 2008

### Skills and Key Topics

Upon successful completion of this course, learners are able to:

- Describe XenDesktop product line features, editions and core strengths
- Describe the challenges of traditional desktop management
- Identify key factors for a successful virtual desktop deployment
- Identify a path for:
  - Getting started with desktop virtualization
  - Migrating to XenDesktop 4, including licensing and subscription advantage information

### Instructional Method

Self-paced online course

### Course Length

60 minutes (estimated time needed to complete this course)

### Certification Preparation

This course is not currently included in a Citrix certification.

### Topic Outline

Provided is the topic outline for CXD-100-2W:

- Overview of Citrix XenDesktop 4
  - Product Overview
  - What's happening in XenDesktop 4
  - Key benefits
  - Product editions
- Components and architecture
- Migration to desktop virtualization
  - Migration path scenarios and information
  - Changes in licensing
  - New desktop virtualization customers